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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: TOMIOKA et al.

Application No.: 09/856,973

Filed: March 30, 2001

For: CYANATE-EPOXY RESIN COMPOSITION, AND PREPREG,
METAL FOIL-LAMINATED PLATE AND PREINTED WIRING
BOARD USING THE SAME

Art Unit: 1712

Examiner: Sellers

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

February 26, 2003

Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, Applicants hereby respectfully petition for an extension of time to permit filing a response within a two-month time period subsequent to expiration of the shortened statutory period set in the outstanding Office Action mailed September 26, 2002. A credit card payment form in the amount of \$300.00 (\$110.00 first month fee paid January 27, 2003) to cover the required fee for the requested extension of time is attached hereto.

It is respectfully requested that any shortage in the fee be charged to the deposit account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (500.40168X00) and any excess fees credited to that account.

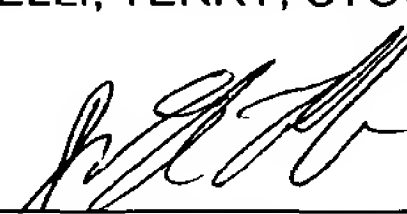
Respectfully submitted,

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